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## BEISEKER RED CROSS SPONSORS GALA DAY TO AID NEW HOSPITAL

BEISEKER—The Beiseker branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society sponsored a gala day, January 31 to furnish the Matron's suite in the new Junior Red Cross Hospital in Calgary.



JAKE E. KEIM, retired farmer, who is now employed by Beiseker Motors. He is 54 years old, weighs 270 lbs. He is seen here with his pal Percy. This is how you will find him spending his time around the garage!

## Beiseker Trade Board Sponsors Farm Course

BEISEKER—The Beiseker and District Board of Trade is sponsoring a farm short course to be held in the Beiseker and District Memorial Hall on Thursday, February 15, from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

There will be six speakers for the men's section and three for the ladies' and these, with their topics, are listed below:

### MEN:

G. R. Sterling—Farm Planning.  
Charlie Chesire—Farm Machinery and Soil Conservation.

W. S. Backman—The 1951 Seed Situation.

Henry F. Irwin—Weeds and Pest Control.

N. F. Bell—Tree Planting.

Sam Stockton—Rat Control.

### LADIES:

Miss Smith—Dressmaking and Clothes Purchasing.

Mrs. Gray—Food and Cooking.  
Charlie Chesire—The Use of Electricity in the Farm Home.

The subjects to be covered are

All organizations in the district co-operated in making this one of the most successful events ever held in this progressive community. The Beiseker Curling Club was active all day and curlers vied with each other to win themselves a ham. Competition was also very keen in the ham shoot, sponsored by the Beiseker Gun Club.

Lunch was served throughout the day and evening by the ladies of the district in the Beiseker Memorial Hall. These ladies were organized by President Mrs. A. Wald of the Beiseker branch of the Red Cross, from the members of the Catholic Women's League, Rosebud Adventist Church, Rainbow Rebekah Lodge, and the ladies of the United and Evangelical churches. A bingo was in operation all day under the sponsorship of the Columbus Club and Beiseker Lions Club had games of skill and chance and also a free show afternoon and evening with Red Cross films added for an educational tone.

Climax of the day was a gigantic auction sale organized by Mr. John Leiske, Chairman. Matt Schmaltz called on Father A. E. Tennant to welcome the capacity crowd on behalf of the Beiseker branch of the Red Cross Society, and then on Mr. G. A. Shave, Assistant to the Commissioner, Alberta's Division. Mr. Shave brought with him a model of the new Junior Red Cross Hospital and urged the audience to plaster it with stamps which they could obtain from Miss Rosemary Wald. Nearly 200 articles were then auctioned by Auctioneers Noah Boese of Swalwell, and John Leiske and Val Schmaltz, with spirited bidding from the crowd. Almost \$1,200 was raised during this most successful day for this very worthy cause.

of interest to almost every farm home and it is hoped that a good attendance will be achieved. All farmers, their wives and families will be welcome at this course.



CANADIAN PLOWMEN on their way to Europe to compete in plowing matches in Great Britain are Hugh Leslie and Herbert Jarvis of Agincourt, Ont. They are both tractor men, but will find horses in England with which to compete.



FILM STARS eat hearty in this picture. Lana Turner and Enzio Pinza are seen eating out-of-doors on a high cliff overlooking the Pacific. They are on location for the filming of M-G-M's new "Mr. Imperium."

## BEISEKER NEWS BRIEFS

By now quite a few have seen the new show case at the Frosted Food Centre, and are buying more fresh fruits, vegetables, etc. It is a treat to be able to look over these delicious foods at your leisure and choose whatever variety you want. Congratulations to Mr. Leo Lavioie who made this attractive show case, and to Fred for the brilliant idea.

The Columbus Club held a social evening last Monday in the Memorial hall. Guest speaker was Very Rev. J. Q. Killen, who showed some films on his trip to Rome a year ago as well as relating some of the interesting phases of his trip.

The Catholic Women's League are sponsoring the first in a series of card parties in the Memorial hall this Sunday, Feb. 11, at 8:30 p.m. Come and enjoy a good game of cards and lunch and meet your friends.

We hear that John Leiske has been walking around as if on air lately and it is no wonder because the project that his whole heart was in has been accomplished more than a hundredfold, and he is deserving of much praise because we all know how much time and effort he had put in this project of which he was the chairman.

Have you seen Mr. E. Schwartzenger sporting his new fad?

Both Mr. Leiske, chairman of the Junior Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital Committee and Mrs. Wald, president of the local branch wish to thank all those who helped in any way or donated toward this project to make it such a success. Also many thanks to Noah Boese,

auctioneer of Swalwell, who so willingly volunteered to help, and Mr. Val Schmaltz. Of course John Leiske was always on hand to take over, and relieve these two men in the gigantic auction sale which brought such a grand sum of money.

Outside gunners at the "Ham Shoot" were Jack Schmidt, gunsmith, Calgary; Sid Walton, Cal-

gary; Keith Oughton, Calgary; J. Cowan, Balzac Service Station; G. Walker and B. Perkins of Balzac.

We hear that E. Kroschel's rink brought back a prize from the Acme bonspiel. This week our curlers go to Irricana, and we hope some of them come home with the grand aggregate prize.

Mrs. Walker, Betty and Ronnie, spent last Sunday at Ruth's in Acme, before Ronnie left for Camp Borden, Ontario.

Joey Wright is ill with the chicken pox.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Andrew Schmaltz is much better but at the present time she is confined to the Holy Cross Hospital for treatments, etc.

Miss Dorothy Campbell had her operation a week ago, and is doing very well. She and her dad should soon be home again.

Mr. Killen is still in the University Hospital receiving treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krenzel and family spent last weekend in Beiseker. Mattie Schmaltz returned home with them after having spent a couple of days in Calgary.

Adam and Matt German were home for the weekend. Mrs. German's daughter and her son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Muenchraut and family of Rockyford were over on Sunday.

On Thursday, February 1st, the Beiseker High School played host to the pupils and teachers of Kathryn, Irricana and Acme High Schools. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games and dancing.

The Beiseker High School pupils were invited to a skating party at Irricana Friday evening by the Irricana High School pupils. A very gay time was had by all.

A new 247-mile highway, connecting Whitehorse with Mayo, Y.T., was completed in 1950. The all-weather road was built by the federal government to aid mining development in one of the largest lode-mining areas in Yukon Territory.

## Oil Exploration Crew At Work Near Level Land

Wildcat started in this district by Socony Vacuum Exploration Co. This is called Entice No. 1, just one mile north of John Lieske's home in the corner of the S.W. quarter of section 25, township 28, range 24, west 4th. This is on John H. Ohlhauser's. There is a crew of 15 men on the place and soon will be going day and night. There are 350 tons of material on the place now and the derrick will be set up this week.

The Cascade Drilling Co. has the contract to go down 8,200 feet if necessary.

Level Land students missed a few days of school last week because of snow-blocked roads.

Films were shown at the SDA hall this last Saturday night. The films were from the Massey-Harris Co. and General Electric. They were of great interest to everyone.

Mr. Dahl of Lacombe who is selling books in the city of Drumheller, was visiting with the SDA group over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. MacDonald of this district left by train last week for Toronto, where Mr. MacDonald is attending the Short-horn Breeders Association convention. On coming back they will pick up a new car at Oshawa and visit different parts of the U.S.

The southern part of the Level Land district was certainly glad to see the snow plow come through on Saturday night.

A few of the Level Land district had to miss the Red Cross sale because of being snow bound. We're sorry that you couldn't make it, but we hope you will give us a good hand on March first when the national drive opens.

Emil Gramm is again back to his daily routine after spending a few weeks as a Calgary jury man.

The S.D.R. Hall tried out Pastor Strufling's new R.C.A. projector on last Saturday night, it performs very nicely.

## TELEVISION

Television, beer and soft drinks are likely to be included in the United States cost-of-living index, says a commentator. The conflict concerning the cost-of-living index might be ended by establishing indexes showing (1) the cost of needs, (2) the cost of wants. The practices of Canada's most efficient mothers might be taken as a sound base for the cost of needs.



RAY GORLEY of Ottawa offered his eyesight to a little girl—but she's not going to need it after all. Doctors have decided Joan Purcell of Atlanta isn't going to lose her eyesight.

# EDITORIAL PAGE

## Price and Wage Control

This week's editorial cartoon is a picture of our national economic situation today. Because prices continue to rise, workers seek higher wages. Because of higher wages prices go up again.

This vicious circle doesn't help the wage earner or businessman because every increase gained in prices or wages becomes a myth in light of the ever-rising cost-of-living index. The farmer, farm worker, and pensioners and others who are in a fixed income are helpless and must submit to an ever-lowering standard of living.

It's ridiculous to assume that this situation can continue, unchecked.

A limited form of price and wage control, with all intended increases in prices or wages subject to approval of a wartime price and trade board, or wage board, is necessary to hold down prices until increased production catches up with the present tendency to inflation.

Unless we have a shooting war, it should be possible for the building industry, by eliminating unnecessary construction, to keep abreast of increased rental needs. Thus, rental controls could be banished, simply by providing the accommodation instead of the controls.

## Export of Gas

While the Alberta Government has wisely turned down wholesale export of natural gas until the interested companies can prove existence of ample reserves, there is one aspect of the proposal that may have been overlooked.

Why not start export of gas in a small way, by running a line east to Saskatoon and Regina? Thence the line could be extended to Winnipeg, and serve western centres such as Moose Jaw, Swift Current, Brandon, Portage la Prairie and a host of smaller points along the way?

Incidentally, with the extension of main trunk lines out from present gas fields, more smaller Alberta centres would get gas service. The consumption of gas in the other two prairie provinces would be a drop in the bucket compared to what would be required to serve the West Coast. Undoubtedly more and more proven reserves of gas will be found in Alberta, making export to any available market practical within a few years.

Royalties from gas export should be used to subsidize the building of branch lines to Alberta towns now off the beaten track. There is no reason why our own people shouldn't benefit by the use of natural gas.

## Auto Workers' Wages

Claiming that British automobiles, manufactured by workers who get an hourly wage of 65c, offer unfair competition to Canadian autos, the workers here getting \$1.42 an hour, the president of a prominent Canadian auto manufacturing plant wants high duties on British car exports to Canada.

The British breadeaters, however, buy much more Canadian wheat than do the Canadian breadeaters. The farmers of the prairie provinces must cater to a market where wages are comparatively low. If we don't buy from the British where will we sell our wheat?

## Note and Comment

The Premier of France has told the Canadian Government that newsprint supplies are a vital necessity to preserve democratic freedom in the free countries of the world, and should be allocated on the same basis as strategic war materials such as steel. Here in Canada, a handful of multi-millionaires virtually control freedom of the press by controlling newsprint quotas. No new daily newspaper could start up in Calgary or Edmonton because two chain groups control 90% of the newsprint supply coming into the province.

Rt. Hon. J. G. Gardiner, federal minister of agriculture says that if Canada is given the right to export hogs to the United States the latter country would demand the right to ship pork to Canada and that would mean a tumble in pork prices of \$4.50 a cwt.

## I Remember Mother

By T. W. PUE

My earliest recollection of my mother was when she told me how plentiful the apple trees were in Wisconsin, and I actually cried to think there are none in Manitoba. She told me how they fed perfectly good apples to pigs, and if anyone but mother had told me, I probably wouldn't have believed it. After I left home, however, I travelled in eastern Canada and saw hundreds of apples going to rot under the trees in Prince Edward county south of Belleville. Hundreds of people lived in Toronto on relief in those days, without money to buy apples or pork, so while the apples rotted they could only starve.

Mother also told me about her girlhood days in Blue Earth, Minnesota where the fish were plentiful and the fishing good. Time has perhaps favored the story with more zest than the youthful Witthuhn girls displayed in catching fish, but they took the day's catch home in laundry baskets. Four laundry baskets for four little girls (Vanna, Arlie, Hazel and Clara) make for a lot of fish.

The family didn't stay long in Minnesota, however, because in 1905 Americans were rushing into Canada and Grandpa Wittuhn, with Grandma and the four girls, came to Arcola, Sask., with a carload of livestock and machinery. Grandpa didn't raise apples there, nor did he quite raise his family at Arcola because two of them, including mother, moved to Brandon while still young enough to be kept in school.

Mother used to tell me how hard she had to work on the farm, and walk four miles over bush road in the mountains to school. And she did work hard. But Grandmother told me how hard SHE had to work for Great-Grandma Meyer, away back in Wisconsin.

Grandfather told me of his trip from Germany with his parents as a boy of four. It took nearly three months to cross the Atlantic, and if Great-Grandmother Witthuhn had not had the foresight to pack a big box of hard biscuits they might have starved before seeing the lights of New York. He remembered using the first McCormick reaper—the one that only cut the grain, while two huskies rode the machine to bind the sheaves.

### THE MOOSE MOUNTAINS

For anyone not too familiar with the geography of southeastern Saskatchewan the existence of this small range of mountains plunked down on the flat, bald prairie comes no doubt as a surprise. Without benefit of lyricist or poet the Moose Mountains will probably never be as well-known as the "Mountains of Mourning that roll down to the sea" or the Scottish Highlands.

Canadians never are too enthusiastic about such sentiment, but the mountains are there just the same and Grandfather's homestead site is a perfect look-out point from which to see the lights of five or six prairie towns such as Arcola, Carlyle, Forget, Manor and Kisby. Almost due north of Arcola, the Witthuhn farm is a mix-up of steep hills and water-filled valleys.

### LURE OF THE CITY

Having stopped over in Brandon for two weeks as guests of the C.P.R. (due to a snowstorm which marooned their train) mother undoubtedly considered life in this city of (at that time) 15,000 people vis-a-vis homesteading and chose the city, just like thousands of farm girls and boys do today. It is there she met Dad, and together they planned the building of the family home into which she moved as a bride, and which she left only three days before her death.

And so the little German girl from the United States made her home, for 37 years, in the one house. Until I was married I never knew another home, but I rebelled at the thought of staying only in one place, and wanted only to travel.

### HOMEMAKER

My mother was a good mother, who erred more in doing too much than not enough. She was always busy, and as long as she was able, kept the home in spotless condition, efficiently and without complaining.

Naturally, we hate to lose mother, and in this I share the sentiment of not only my own family but also that of hundreds of friends who will read this column and who have suffered a similar loss. Mother wanted the home carried on, but a house is not really a home without a mother.

I am reminded of Tennyson's story about King Arthur receiving the famous sword Excalibur from the Lake, and how he was sorrowful when told he must some day return the sword to the same place from which he was then taking it.

He was told not to grieve over losing what he treasured, but to rejoice because during the intervening years he would have the pleasure of Excalibur's company.

If I remember mother correctly, her philosophy was akin to that of Tennyson.



Canada can't keep racing prices and wages forever. Each wage boost means higher prices, every price rise forces higher wages.

## Voice of the People

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### Sports In School

Dear Sir.—I heard somebody talking about the lack of sportsmanship in hockey, football games and wrestling, etc. No wonder, when school students aren't taught sportsmanship, or aren't given an opportunity to take part in organized sports. We should have athletic instruction in all our schools.

L. GOULD.

Mayerthorpe.

### Soundly Spanked

Dear Sir.—In answer to Mrs. E.R.M., I think you did very well to ignore that "Truman letter" incident. I get an American daily paper, and I can assure you, Mr. Truman was soundly spanked, verbally, for his impetuous act.

G. M. SAMIS.

Edmonton.

### The Dictionary

Dear Sir.—I have been enjoying your paper and trust I will continue to do so.

However, in regard to your editorial on 'The Board of Trade,' I'd like to loan you my dictionary so you'll get some terms straight.

'Trade' means any occupation carried on by manual labor with the exception of agriculture. 'Commerce' means business intercourse, especially exchange of merchandise, services, or produce.

I submit that the idea of your editorial is fine, but you just chose the wrong word to fall in love with.

I am proud of our own Chamber of Commerce. It is a member of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce (an affiliate body for all Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade), and was written up in "Canadian Business" magazine.

Has the Killam Board of Trade you refer to ever been written up in "Canadian Business"?

N. J. W. ARCHER.

Viina.

### Frank's In Stitches

Dear Sir.—Want to laugh? Listen to the barbers' reasons for increase in haircut and shave prices. They say it's due to the rise in operating expenses. Ha! How many times do they use the same comb, brush and razor? Oh yes, they sometimes have to change an electric light bulb! Ha, ha, ha! FRANK KRENN.

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## ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,  
Week Ending Feb. 10, 1951

# Inflation Poses New Threat, Says Farm Union Leader

By RAYMOND ARGYLE

"The threat of inflation is the most serious matter facing Canada today," declared Henry Young, president of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, in an interview this week.

High prices are hitting farmers and workers alike, said Mr. Young.

"But the farmer's perhaps the worst off," he said, "because farm prices have remained stationary during the past year while other prices have risen rapidly."

A nationwide system of price controls is an urgent need, he said. But at the same time price adjustments must be made, he added, to bring farm prices in line with prices of other commodities.

Mr. Young was elected president of the FUA last December, at a Calgary convention marked by stormy sessions and charges of Communist infiltration.

Mr. Young, incidentally, believes the Communist element in the FUA to be a no greater threat,

and of no larger size, than the Communist element of the whole country.

Objective of the organization this year is to build up a membership of 50,000, said Mr. Young.

But the big job confronting the FUA, he said, is to bring about adjustments between the prices of what farmers get for what they sell, and what they pay for what they buy.

The FUA has become one of the leading farm organizations in Canada since it was launched in 1949 through an amalgamation of the United Farmers of Alberta and the Alberta Farmers' Union.

### HAS HELD MANY POSTS

Mr. Young himself has long been active in farm organizations. He is the only man ever to sit on the board of directors of the FUA, UFA, and AFU.

He is a past executive member of the Alberta Association of Municipalities, a director of the Edmonton branch of the Alberta Motor Association, vice-president of the Rural Electrification Association, a councillor for the eighth year of Wetaskiwin Municipal District, chairman of a seed cleaning plant board, and a member of the Alberta Wheat Pool since 1923.

Fifty-seven year-old Henry Young was born in Yorkshire, and came to Canada in 1902, settling in Millet. He is still farming

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HENRY YOUNG, president of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, is seen at work at his desk in the FUA office in Edmonton. Mr. Young was named to post at convention last December in Calgary. See story at left.

## Small Towns Safest In Event of Air Raids

Cities are more susceptible to air attack than are the small towns, says Air Vice Marshal G. R. Howsam, Provincial Coordinator of Civil Defence.

Air Vice Marshal Howsam says,

"It will be remembered that Premier Manning told us, Alberta is unlikely to be selected for mass air attack. The premier also said enemy bombers were likely to pass over Alberta en route to the large industrial centres in the United States. If the enemy bombers are turned back by our fighter aircraft they would want to drop their bomb loads at once, and any handy rural target might be attacked.

If a bomber had any choice he would drop his bomb load on important targets such as industrial area where more damage would be caused, says the Provincial Coordinator. For this reason city dwellers must take special precaution, he added.

### CITY DWELLERS MORE ORGANIZED

"On the other hand, city dwellers have many more neighbors, organized individuals and civil defence units, which would rally around to give aid. Self help and mutual aid are the two important keys to survival under air attack," says Air Vice Marshal Howsam.

An explosion likely would damage the upper portion of a house. Therefore, the safest place usually is in the basement against an

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## NEEDLECRAFT NEWS

## Pressing Pointers Helpful For Careful Homemakers

By PAULINE ROY

**A**N IRON is to a home sewer what a hammer is to a carpenter—an indispensable tool of the trade. When you put time into a dress or coat you want a smooth and professional-looking finished article and you'll achieve it when you press as you sew. Because pressing is such an important part of sewing, you should know all about it before you so much as buy a piece of fabric. Now let's go over some of the basic rules for pressing. Pressing and ironing, you know, require different techniques. In pressing, the iron is lowered and raised over the same spot, not pushed along the material as in ironing. Every stitched seam should be pressed before it is crossed with another seam. Press seams in the same direction as that in which they were stitched. Skirt seams, for example, should be pressed from bottom to top. Press curved seams over a curved surface such as a pressing mitt.

Always press with the grain of the material. For instance, when pressing the surface of a four-piece bias-cut skirt, do not press straight up from bottom to top, but follow the grain which runs in a diagonal direction. Darts are usually pressed toward the center front or center back of the garment. In heavy materials they are slashed and pressed open. Underarm darts are pressed down.

Wool should be pressed moist and usually on the wrong side. Always use a press cloth on wool unless a steam iron is used. Rayon is pressed either moist or almost dry, depending on the type of rayon. Test a scrap of the material before pressing the garment. Press on the wrong side using a press cloth. Cotton and linen should be dampened and pressed on the wrong side. It is not necessary to use a press cloth with these two fabrics.



If you keep these pressing pointers in mind it should help your sewing efforts immensely. Your clothes will fit properly and skirts will hang evenly. Even a simple item like the organdy tea apron pictured above will look crisper, neater if it is pressed correctly. If you haven't done very much home sewing a simple article like this apron is a good thing to start with. All you require is a piece of flowered or patterned chintz, (a leftover will be fine), and one and a quarter yards of organdy. It makes a nice gift or it may be just the "fussy" apron you need for party occasions. For directions simply send a stamped self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Dept. of this paper requesting TEA APRON, Leaflet No. E-1681.

## This, Agriculture

## AGRICULTURAL SHORT COURSES TO COMMENCE IN DISTRICT THIS MONTH

By H. F. IRWIN

The annual agricultural short courses sponsored jointly by the Department of Agriculture, the Drumheller District Agricultural Society, the Agricultural Service Boards of Starland and Kneehill municipalities, and local sponsoring organizations, have been announced by the society.

They will take place in Huxley, February 12, 1951; Three Hills, February 13; Swalwell, Feb-

ruary 14; Beiseker, February 15; Torrington, Feb. 16, in Kneehill; and in Starland: Morrin, Feb. 19; Rumsey, February 20; Delia, February 21. The series will be concluded by courses at Dalum, February 22, and Drumheller, February 23.

The program will follow the theme of "Soil Conservation" in the men's section, starting at ten o'clock daily at each course centre:

1. Films, on weeds and seed production.
2. Better Seed, W. S. Backman, Field Supervisor, Kneehill Municipality.
3. Weed Control, H. F. Irwin, Field Supervisor, Starland Municipality.
4. Tree Planting, N. F. Bell, District Agriculturist, Drumheller. Starting at one o'clock, the afternoon program will feature:
  1. Films, and Introduction to Weed Control, S. Stockton, President, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Drumheller.
  2. Farm Management, G. R. Sterling, Supervisor, Soil Conser-



HUGH F. PULLEN, of Victoria, commanding officer of HMCS Ontario, has been promoted from captain to commodore, according to the latest promotions announced by the Defence Department.

## MUGGS AND SKEETER



vation and Weed Control, Department of Agriculture.

3. Farm Machinery in Soil Conservation, C. A. Cheshire, Extension Engineer.

In the Women's Section during the first week, in the morning program, after films, there will be a discussion of Electricity in the Home, by G. A. Cheshire, Extension Engineer; the afternoon program, Buying of Clothes, Miss M. Smith, District Home Economist, Red Deer; and other subjects to be arranged for.

During the second week, the morning program will be started with films and these, followed by Mr. Cheshire on Electricity in the Home, and in the afternoon, Miss H. Robinson, District Home Economist, Stettler, will conduct a Food Quiz, after which Miss M. Smith will speak on the Buying of Clothes.

"The triangular prairie region between Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton, is the richest concentration of land to be found anywhere, and is eyed by hungry, envious millions elsewhere. Land is the most fundamental natural resource. We are now within sight of the end of the total arable land resources in the world and yet the world's population is increasing one per cent per year. Land determines a nation's life or death because it produces food, and we have the lion's share but we do not realize until there is a war that we are the envy of the world." —Dr. R. K. Larmour, Prairie Regional Laboratory, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

For the season of 1949-50 a total of 3,722,738 lbs. of trout, white fish and inconnu was taken commercially from Great Slave Lake, Northwest Territories. The catch is subjected to regulation to protect the five-year-old, million dollar northern industry.

The federal forestry branch maintains five forest experiment stations. These are in New Brunswick, Ontario, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.



## CROSSFIELD IN TABLOID

Miss Gladys McDonald who recently underwent an operation for thyroid is convalescing at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hank McDonald of Crossfield.

Mrs. Greta Hall who recently suffered a fractured collarbone is recovering very nicely even though her arm is still in a sling.

We are sorry to report that scarlet fever is still putting in an appearance. The last home reporting this disease is Ernie Sharp's.

It is with regret that we report once more than Mr. R. Green who was badly hurt in a power take-off accident in the fall is a patient in the Calgary hospital.

Mrs. Hank McDonald and Mrs. Bert Lilley have each recently entertained the members of the Afternoon Bridge Club. Honors were shared by Mrs. Lorrie and Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Casey and Mrs. C. Fox, in respective order.

Mrs. Lack Low and Mrs. Victor Law have each in turn been host-

esses to the members of the Inverlea 500 Club. Delightful evenings were spent at each home.

The Crossfield rink skipped by Nola Becker was successful in capturing third prize in the consolation event at the Didsbury ladies' bonspiel, which was curled in the Crossfield rink, due to an overlap of the Carstairs and Didsbury ladies' 'spiel.

The Crossfield and District Old Timers Association held its annual meeting on Saturday, Jan. 27. The usual business was dealt with in orderly manner. The 1951 officers are as follows: Hon. president, George Murdoch; president, Bill Murdoch; first vice-president, Dewey Casey; second vice-president, W. McCrimmon; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Evelyn Lilley.

## TWIN GIRLS

CROSSFIELD. — Twin girls were born Thursday, Feb. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson (nee Jean Laut) in a Calgary hospital and we regret to report the death of one of the little ones two days later, Saturday, Feb. 3.

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The Sunday School is now sponsoring an ice carnival for Friday evening the 23rd. A carnival queen will be crowned, and there will be prizes for costumes, crazy skating, and broom ball. Tickets will be on sale and the Sunday School solicits your support. Light refreshments will also be served.

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### Safety Sure

Wifey — Darling, I always hit my fingers when I go to drive a nail. Isn't there any way I can prevent this?

Darling — Yes. You should hold the hammer in both hands, dearest.

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Second cannibal: Serves him right. I told him not to eat that grass widow.

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Mrs. B — "No, just plain stewed."

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Dad — "When I was young I thought nothing of getting up at 5 o'clock in the morning."

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Patient — "How soon will I be able to get out of this hospital?"

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Minister — Don't you ever attend a place of worship?

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I love my husband but he keeps me so upset with his behavior that I am thinking of leaving him. I have a good job so I don't have to worry about money. What would you do?

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Why did the Journal buy the Bulletin?

Everybody in Edmonton is asking this question.

Through a deal which placed the Bulletin in their lap, the powerful Southam family, owners of seven Canadian dailies, including the Journal, have established a monopoly in Edmonton's daily publishing field.

The circumstances under which the Southam family assumed control of the Bulletin represent one of the most unusual deals in newspaper history.

Prompted by an urge for more power, and probably by a newsprint shortage in their own papers, the Southams have been looking for new fields to conquer.

The owners of the Bulletin gave the Southams just that opportunity when they decided to pull out of Edmonton's newspaper field, and sink their money into other investments.

## WERE PAID

\$650,000

Max Bell and H. R. Milner, controlling figures in the Essex Co., owners of the Bulletin and Bulletin Printers Ltd., received \$650,000 from the Southams to close up the Bulletin.

They were left with the Bulletin

Printers. Incidentally, the sum they got for the Bulletin is the same as they paid Charles Campbell, ex-Bulletin publisher, for both the newspaper and the commercial printing plant.

But this was no orthodox sell-out. The paper wasn't to be amalgamated by the Journal and to be called the Journal-Bulletin.

Instead the Southams and the Essex Co. agreed that the Bulletin would be closed up and that the Journal would take over the paper's plant and equipment.

They also agreed that neither would reveal the deal for what it was.

In the words of Southam president Philip Fisher, (as quoted in Time magazine), "They've gone out of business; we'll pick up the pieces."

Yet according to ex-publisher Hal Straight, who rebelled against the manner in which the deal was handled, the Journal had bought the Bulletin out from under him "before I knew about it."

## REPUTATION SHATTERED

The intrigue and secrecy which surrounded the deal has shattered the Southam's reputation in Edmonton.

Two days after the Bulletin ceased publication, the Journal stated in an editorial that neither the Journal nor the Southams had bought the Bulletin.

Time and events have proven this to be false.

Why was the deal handled in this manner? Why didn't the Journal openly admit the purchase of the Bulletin? Why didn't the Journal take the people of Edmonton

— its readers — into its confidence?

The deal wasn't handled openly because the Southams feared the damaging publicity that might result if they admitted purchasing the paper.

It wasn't handled openly because the Southams didn't want to have to continue operating the Bulletin. They wanted just one daily in Edmonton—the Journal.

It wasn't handled openly because the Southams sorely needed the newsprint and hard-to-get equipment used in the operation of the Bulletin—they needed it for their other papers.

It wasn't handled openly because the Southams oppose organized labor, and they didn't want to negotiate with a union.

Instead, a deal was arranged whereby the Southams would pay the Essex Co. \$650,000 to fold up the Bulletin, and then allow them to take over the paper's physical assets.

One fact emerges from the cloud of doubt and suspicion cast over the deal.

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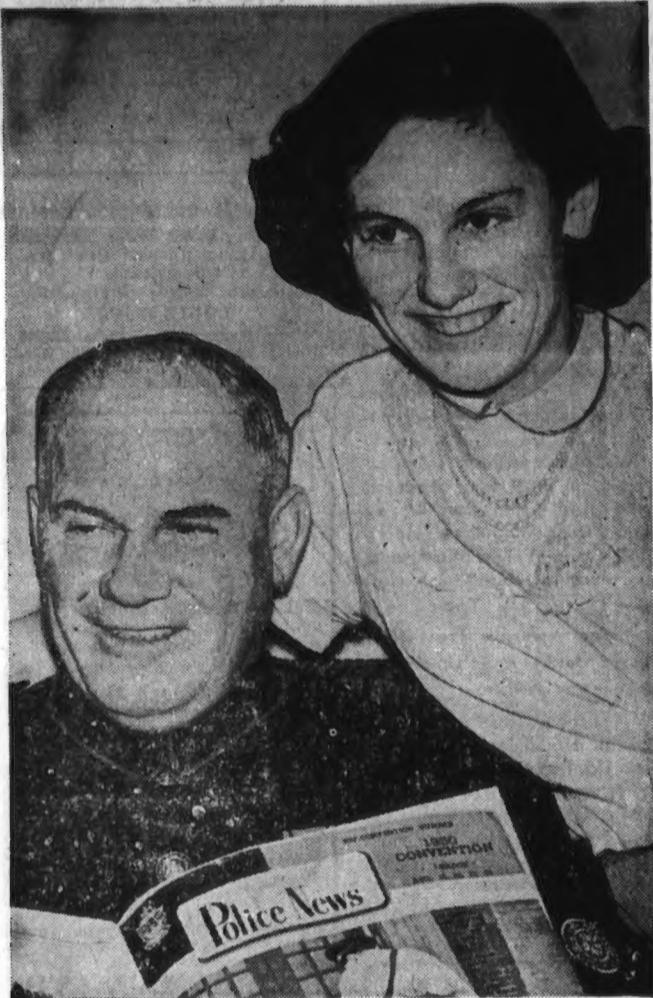
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## LAST RITES FOR EVERETT GREEN

CROSSFIELD.—Rev. A. Anderson officiated at the funeral of the late Everett Green which was conducted by Goode Bros. of Calgary, in the Crossfield United Church on Wednesday, Jan. 31 at 2 p.m. A very large attendance and beautiful floral tributes marked the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Rev. Anderson's message was one of comfort and consolation. The church choir sang "The Old Rugged Cross." The pall bearers were Ernie Farrell, Clifford, Bruce, Eddie, Douglas and Ralph Brandon. All were brothers-in-law of the deceased. Interment was in Crossfield cemetery.

We are sorry to report, the death of the six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sackett of Crossfield on Saturday, Feb. 3.

### Plans Readied For Ratepayers' Meet

BEISEKER — Mr. Matt Schmaltz would like to remind all those planning to attend the ratepayers' meeting of the Municipal District of Kneehill, No. 48, Division No. 3, which will be held in the Acme Memorial Hall on Monday, Feb. 12, at 2 p.m., to bring along their financial statement which they received when they got their notice of the meeting. It will be very helpful to them whilst discussing the financial section of the meeting. Mr. Schmaltz, councillor, informs us that they had a very successful year, and hence the financial statement proves that, too.

At this meeting matters of general interest will be discussed, including the proposed County Act.

Everybody is welcome and all directors in Division No. 3 are urged to attend.

### Beiseker Wheat Club Reorganized

BEISEKER — A meeting was held in the community hall recently for the purpose of organizing the Beiseker Wheat Club. This club is now under the sponsorship of the Beiseker and District Board of Trade, and a good attendance of prospective members and their parents was attained.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. Braithwaite of the Alberta Wheat Pool, Calgary, and the following officers were elected: Raymond Hagel, Honorary President; Daniel Schmaltz, President; Albinus Sander, Vice-President; Gregory Schmaltz, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mrs. E. B. Hagel, agent of the Alberta Wheat Pool was appointed Seed Supply Officer.

An Advisory Committee was set up, headed by Matt Schmaltz, and he will be assisted on this by Arthur Berreth, Kanner Silberman and Ken Wright.

Fourteen members have been signed up and a meeting of the club and the advisory committee will be held in the near future to lay plans for the coming season. It was decided that in the best interests of the club it would be advisable to grow Thatcher wheat for this year.

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### Crossfield Residents Leave For U.S.

CROSSFIELD.—Mrs. Frank Laut and Mrs. Charles Fox left on Monday morning by bus for California where they will spend a few weeks visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Laut received word that both her mother and father have been in ill health.

Mrs. Eileen Bills returned home recently after spending a visit with her daughter Dodie and son-in-law, in Calmar.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Campbell were Calgary visitors on Friday.

Some 50 rinks have been entered in the Crossfield bonspiel scheduled for the week Feb. 5 to 10 inclusive. The draw (and the aspirin tablets) are in the hands of Gordon Purvis and Bert Lilley.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation of the kindly thoughts and deeds, beautiful floral tributes and letters and cards of sympathy received from our many friends since our recent and very sad bereavement.

Mary Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Green and daughters Veva and Ellen. PR F-9

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